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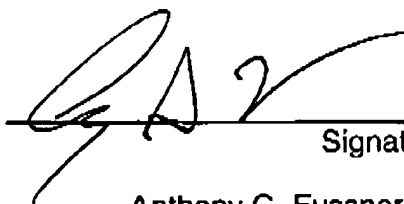
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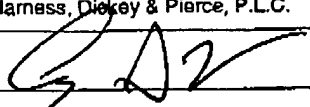
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Applicant respectfully requests that the filing date of the application be corrected to June 25, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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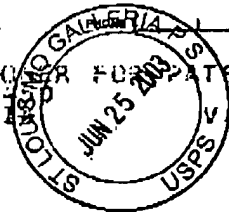
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